

## Letters to a Daughter Hubert Bland

Letters to a Daughter is a collection of essays proffering 'fatherly advice' in the form of a one-sided correspondence. Each of these takes the form of a response to a question that a young woman who is about to enter adult society might pose. The fictional daughter in Letters to a Daughter is named 'Alexa.' The author, Hubert Bland, a columnist and political activist, dedicated the book to his daughter, Rosamund Edith Nesbit Bland.

While married to the author Edith Nesbit, Mr. Bland had a lifelong extramarital relationship with Alice Hoatson, the birth mother of Rosamund - Edith, Alice and Hubert lived together 'openly'. Rosamund wrote *The Man in the Stone House*, a novel about a young woman's relationship with her parents, and the children's book *Moo Cow Tales*; she also wrote the children's book *Cat Tales* with her adoptive mother, Edith Nesbit.

- Summary by Brian Fullen

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